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Sir:

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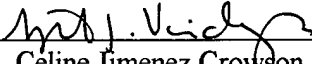
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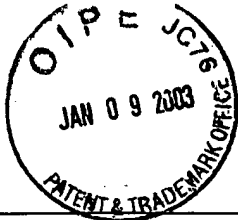
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		5,155,801	10/13/92	Lincoln	395	22	10/09/90
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OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

		International Search Report, dated September 5, 2002 (3 pages)

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